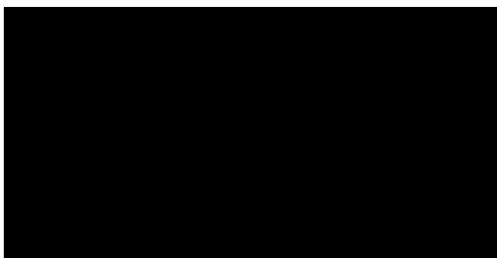


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This is to acknowledge your letter of October 10
with the enclosed draft of a paper you plan to present.

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I have read your paper with a good deal of interest
and consider it an excellent and hard-hitting presentation.
There is no reason why any of the facts or figures that
you used should not be disclosed, since they were obtained
from unclassified sources.

I have taken the liberty of having one of our groups
concerned with coal read your paper as an editorial service
to you. There is attached a page of suggestions they have
made, which you are at liberty to use as you so desire.

Sincerely yours,

DEB/jm

Robert Amory, Jr.
Deputy Director/Intelligence

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Suggested Changes1. Page 2, paragraph 2.

Eliminate the word "nearby" in the third line, because the Kansk field is approximately 2,000 miles east of the Donbas.

Eliminate the word "Siberian" in the fifth line, because Kazakhstan is not generally considered as a part of Siberia.

2. Page 2, paragraph 3.

Eliminate the phrase "It seems likely that", because the Soviets have referred to stripping operations.

3. Page 1. Coal Production Table No. 1.

It is suggested that you consider the following figures, most of which you will note have been published by the U.S. Bureau of Mines.

Coal Production Table No. 1

(000,000 Net U.S. Tons)

<u>Communist Countries</u>	1926	1928	1940	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1955 Plan
Czechoslovakia	18	s/	15	b/	20	19	20	20	22	
Eastern Germany	4		3	3	3	3	3	3	4	
Hungary b/	1		1	1	2	2	2	2	2	
Poland	76		65	77	82	86	90	93		
Russia										
Coal-lignite b/	43	146	183	173	226	260	291	310	332	416
Fert		(29)	(34)				(51)			(65)
	—	245	—	260	—	327	—	366	—	453

a. United Nations, Statistical Yearbook, 1949-50.

b. U.S., Bureau of Mines, Minerals Yearbook 1945, 1951 and 1952 (preliminary) except for the 1928 figure from Herbert Harris, Nations Business, September 1953, Vol. 41, No. 9, p. 75 and the 1955 plan figure which was reported as 377.5 million metric tons in the New York Times, 23 August 1952.

4. Page 4, paragraph 1.

The use of Bureau of Mines figures would change the figures given in this paragraph.

5. Page 5, paragraph 2.

In line 9, the word "Romsonial" should read Komsomol.

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black bagman's air service, half birds and "guinea" birds and clandestine
radios and 1-2 men within DC, & clandestine air
for all clandestine actions, will suffice for "guinea" birds and agents in
airline. No funds or air available at present.

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eval statement that we need "guinea" birds and "black" birds
certain radio equipment and batteries

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not likely to face "straight guineafowl" with public or any kind because of its
habit to spread .22 and you can't do much and from L.A.

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(about 10,000,000,000)

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 as before now not a problem, SAPI - you're in control, if not, if not, if not,
 SAPI - you're in control, if not, if not.

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and if newly bought and not yet been paid for, SAPI to you & C
 (approx 4000)

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